LOCAL LIVE STOCK.

Leading Features of the Week's Trade at Central Yards.

SITUATION AND OUTLOOK NO GOOD.

Hogs Join With Cattle and Sheep in the Downward Drift.

TENNESSEE SENDS BACON NORTH

OFFICE OF PITISBURG DISPATCH. THURSDAY, February 21, 1889. As will be seen by the accompanying report, local cattle receipts this week were 220 head above last week. For the two weeks previous to last, local cattle supplies varied scarcely any in number from this week's record. Truth demands the statement that the markets are in a demoralized condition. It is hard to find anything encouraging in the situ-

ation or outlook. The weekly statement sent out by a leading stock firm to customers begins: "Markets are demoralized, cattle are 15 to 20c lower; we have no comments to make. Sheep are duli and heavy, with no good prospects for trade." One stockman was found at the Liberty yards who picked up a lew crumbs of comfort from the fact that markets are more depressed as you go eastward. From New York live stock narkets comes the report to-day that 20,000 head of sheep are unsold, with a mair prospect markets comes the report to-day that 20,000 head of sheep are miscle, with a rair prospect that shippers will be forced to submit to heavy loss. While the run of sheep at Liberry this week is more than 3,000 head less than last week, and 5,000 less than the week before, markets have been very slow at ½c reduction. The slowness of trade here induced some dealers to send stack on to the metropolis. Such have had a practical confirmation of the old adage that tells how we may go further and fare worse. The dealer who sold at Liberry and better this week than the one who sent his sheep to New York.

Hogs Getting Chenp.

Yesterday's review of the live stock trade in this column of THE DISPATCH stated that hogs were the only exception to the downward drift. This was true till this morning. Now we are compelled to put porkers in the same boat with cattle and sheep. At Chicago to-daylre-ceipts were 25,000 head and prices 10c lower. The range of prices there for good smooth packing hogs weighing from 170 to 190 pounds is \$4.85 to \$5.00.

At East Liberty the run of bogs this morning was light, consisting of about 10 loads. While some weakness was manifested at the While some weakness was manifested at the opining of trade this morning, it was the opinion of dealers that there would be no drop. This hopeful view was, however, soon blasted, and toward noca hogs were sold at \$1.85, which would have brought \$5.00 yesterday.

As an illustration of the demand for light hogs this season in preference to heavy weights, one of our leading packers furnishes the following item: There were shipped from Memphis, Tenn., to Chicago within the past 10 days 250 head of hors averaging 122 pounds, and

hors averaging 122 pounds, and sold at \$4.72%.

The pack r. speaking of this, said: "It is something hitherto unheard of that Tennessee should send noise to Chicago. The reason is that light hogs are bringing better prices at the latter place. Through the South the demand is for heavy logs, the fattest pork being award for the cotton and sugar plantations. mand is for neavy nogs, the lattest pork being wanted for the cotton and sugar plantations. In the North, owing to the abundance of corn, the heavy hog business is overdone. There is a scarcity of light hogs in our supplies this scason, and this has been so marked that it has been found prolitable to bring these little porkers a distance of 600 miles northward."

Following are the full returns of transactions Following are the full returns of transactions at the East Liberty yards for the week.

RECEIPTS.

	CATTLE.		HOGS.	SHEER	
	Thro'.	Local			
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Total	4, 270	1,650	22,300	17, 22	
Last week	3, 230	1,400	23, 175	20, 46	
	FALES	5			
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Total		1,009	\$2,018	10, 11	
Last week,	24144	1,429	15,032	10,34	

By Telegraph.

New York -Beeves-No arrivals; no market; prices unchanged for dressed beef; exports, 1,100 quarters of beef, 60 beeves and 65 sheep. To-day's Liverpool cable quotes Amercan refrigerator beef steady at 9c per pound. Sheep-Reseipts, 6,400 head and 10 carloads carried over from years day, market extremely Sheep-Receipts, 6,400 head and 10 carloads carried over from yestorday; market extremely dull and closed weak and lower: extremes for sheep, \$5 00@5 60 per 100 pounds, including common to good at \$4 00@5 50; lambs, \$4 75@2 7 60; no trade in sheep and dressed lambs at 7@ 8c per pound for sheep, and \$5@10c for lambs, thogs-Receipts, 1,800 head; all for slaughterers direct; none offered alive; firmer feeling; nominal value, \$5 15@5 55.

KANSAS CITY-Cuttle-Receipts, 2,357 head; Kansas Citt-Cattle-Receipts, 2,3% head; shipments, none; beef steers dull and weak; medium cows firm; common steady; stockers and feeders steady; good to choice cern fed. \$3 \$564 10; common to medium, \$2 \$8063 50; stockers and feeding steers, \$1 5063 50; cows. \$1 2562 75. Hogs-Receipts, 7,673 head; shipments, 1,451 head; market weak and 5c lower than vesteriary's closing prices; good to choice, \$4 5064 35; common to medium, \$454 25. Sheep-Receipts, 1,520 head; shipments, 270 head; steady; good to choice muttous, \$4 2564 50; common to medium, \$2 50 68 90.

St. Louis-Cattle-Receipts, 1,000 head; shipments, 500 head; market steady; choice heavy native steers, \$3.70@4.30; fair to good do, \$2.80@3.80; stockers and feeders, fair to good, \$4.40@2.70; rangers, corn-fed, \$2.75@3.40; grassfed, \$1.70@2.80. Hogs-Receipis, 4,000 head; shipments, 2,400 head; market slowt choice heavy and butchers' selections, \$4 3504 50; packing, medium to prime, \$4 3004 45; light grades, ordinary to best, \$4 3504 55. Sheep— Receipts, 300 head; shipments, none; market steady; fair to choice, \$5 0004 25.

CHICAGO-Cattle-Receipts, 14.000 head; ship-CHICAGO CATHE-Receipts, 14,000 head; ship-ments, 4,500 head; market slow but steady; choice beeves, \$1,00@4 35; steers, \$3,00@4 00; stockers and feeders, \$2,35@3,35; cows, bulls and mixed, \$1,00@3 16 Hozz-Receipts, 25,000 head; shipments, 10,000 head; market stronger; mixed and heavy, \$1,35@4.55; light, \$4,40@4.60; pigs, \$4,00@4.90. Sheep-Receipts, 8,000 head; shipments, 2,000 head; market steady; natives, \$1,000 head; shipments, \$2,000 head; shi 83 00415 40; westerns, corn-fed, \$4 45@4 723@ Fexans, \$3 00@4 50; lambs, \$4 90@6 60. BALTIMORE-Beef Cattle-Market firmer.

but not active; values 3/c higher: best beeves, 4/64 2 5c; rated first-class, 4@43/c; good fair quality, 3/66/6; crdimary thin steers, oxen and cows, 200c; most sales from 40,84c. Re-ceipts, 640 head; sales, 470 head. Sheep—Re-ceipts 1,700 head; sheep, 234,0534c; lambs, 4340, 534c.

BUFFALO - Cattle - Receipts, 1.200 head through: 20 head sale; nothing sold: weak, Sheep and lambs-No through receipts: 3,600 head sale; active and unchanged. Hogs—Re-corpts, 4,500 head through; 3,000 head sale weak on mediums; 5600c off on Yorkers; me-diums, \$4 80; Yorkers, \$4 90@4 95.

CINCINNATI—Hogs easier and in fair demand; common and light, \$3 75@4 65; packing and butchers, \$4 55@4 65. Receipts, 2,440 head;

CARELESS PACKING.

Something for American Manufacturers to Wonder Over. It is a significant fact, says the Glasgow Mail,

that although there are many enterprising Americans in Guatemala, they all complain Americans in Guatemala, they all complain that they have to buy their goods in Europe because American merchants are so careless in packing that a large quantity of the goods received always arrives in a damaged condition. In American canned goods the article is either of inferior quality or else it is badly put up. European houses must never forget that the key to the situation is packing, and on the whole it is said that in this respect the Germans beat us.

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There are certain lines of goods, especially in prints and drillings, which have grown into preference here, and the natives will have no thers. German manufacturers attempt to others. German maintaccurers attempt to force upon the market base imitations, not only of these goods, but also of British and American agricultural implements and cuttery goods. Trade marks and designations are imitated by ingenious alterations intended to convey a false impression that they are the genuine article. The best advice that we can give as regards Guatemala is to send out a thoroughly good orticle in any line at the lowest possible price, any see that it is properly packed.

Drygoods Market. New York, February 21.—There was a relatively fair trade in drygoods to-day, with both agents and jobbers, though the stores were all closed a part of the forenom, during the funeral services of the late Philip Van Valkenburgh, one of the most prominent countision merchants of this city. The market was unchanged in character and tone.

MARKETS BY WIRE.

Wheat Fractionally Lower in Consequence of a Reported Blizzard-Corn and Onts Very Quiet-Heg Products Active and Stronger.

Cuicago-The wheat market was dull dur ing most of the session today, and prices were somewhat irregular. The opening was %6% lower than closing figures yesterday, rallied %c, declined %c, and then suddenly advanced 13%c, cased off ic and closed about 1/2 lower than closed about 1/2 lower than the suddenly advanced to the suddenly ad than vesterday. There were moderate offering early in the day and but little demand, and after fluctuating within a small range for so little time suddenly advanced on covering by shorts, which action was influenced some by reports of buying of wheat in Wisconsin by Min-

ports of buying of wheat in Wisconsin by Minneapolis utiliers and a reported blizzard in Dakota heading eastward. The sherts possibly
were also induced to cover, to some extent, on
account of the holiday to morrow.

Corn was moderately active at times, though
most of the session the market ruled very
quiet. There was nothing new in consequence
developed that had any apparent effect on
values, and fluctuations were narrow, being
limited to 143% range.

Outs were quiet, with trading of a local character, and narrow price changes.

Rather more interest was manifested in hog
products, and the feeling was stronger in a
general way. Mess pork opened at 5c decline,
advanced 15217%, reacted 2205c, and closed
rather strady. Lard advanced 1254615c, but
receded 2565c; short ribs gained an advance of
755010c, and closed steady.

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80 (0.06) (0.08) (0.06) (0.08) @11 6734@11 20. LARD, per 100 Bs.—February, \$6 70; March, \$6 7566 675406 725; May, \$6 673406 8500 67340

oats. 74,000 bushels; rye,3,000 bushels; barley, 25,000 bushels.

On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was steady and unchanged. Eggs stendy at 1254@13c.

NEW YORK—Flour strong and less active. Cornmeal steady and in better demand. Wheat—Spot dull and weaker; options 1/4@25: lower. Barley quiet. Corn—Spot fairly active and weaker; options more active. Oats—Spot quiet and firmer; options steady and quiet. Hay steady and unchanged to 5 points down; closed steady. 5 points up: sales, 32,250 bars, including February, at 16.05c; March, 16.10@16.20c; April, 16.05@16.10c; March, 16.15@16.25c; June, 16.30c; July, 16.35@16.40c; August, 16.45@16.55c; September, 16.70c; December, 16.65@16.70c; November, 16.70c; December, 16.65@16.70c; spot Rio strong; fair cargoes, 17½c. Sugar—Raw firm: refined quiet and steady. Molasses—Foreign duli; 50 test, 21c; New Orleans quiet; open lettle, good to fancy, 30@43c. Rice firm and quiet. Cottonseed oil steadier. Tallow easier and duli; city, 5/gc. Rosin firm. strained, common to good, \$1.05@110. Turpentine quiet and steady at 47½@48c. Eggs fairly active and firmer; western, 14/6014/c; receipts, 5/03s packages. Pork firmer; old mess, \$12.00; new mess, \$12.50@12.75; extra prime, \$12.00c; new m NEW YORK-Flour strong and less active.

belies, 7c. Middles firmer; short clear, 36 43. Lard bullish on large exports, active and higher; sales western steam, 57 19@7 15c, closing at \$7 15c city, 38 75; February, 37 15, closing at \$7 15c; March, 57 16; April, 57 16; May, 57 12@7 15c; closing at \$7 17; June, 57 65 @7 17c, closing at \$7 19; July, 57 17@7 20, closing at \$7 20; August, \$7 18@7 22 closing at \$7 22; September, \$7 12@7 17, closing at \$7 24. Butter easy and in moderate demand; western dayy, 13@20c; do creamery, 16@29c; Elgins, 30@31c. Cheese slow and easy; western, 10½@11½c.

St. Louis-Flour quiet and steady. Wheat lower; at opening the feeling was weak and sales were at a decline, recovered later, then sales were at a decline, recovered later, then became weak, closing 1901/4c below yesterday. No. 2 red cash, 97/2071/4c; May, 39/4/6/99/4c, closing at 89/4/6/99/4c, closing at 27/4/6/29/4c; March, 27/4/9/27/4c, closing at 27/4/6/29/4c, closing at 29/4/6/99/4c, closing at 29/4/6/9/4c, closing at 29/4/6 234c seked. Oats lower, but closed firm; No. 2 cash, 2tc, May, 27% bid. Rye—None offered. Barley quiet; Minnesota, 50c; Iowa, 55c. Flax-seed quotable at \$1 20, Provisions stronger.

CINCINNATI-Flour dull and generally negnominally at 98c; receipts, none; shipments, 500 bushels. Corn freely offered and barely steady; No. 2 mixed, 33c. Oats steady; No. 2 mixed, 25c. Pork quiet at \$11.50. Lard strong at \$6.556.60. Bulkments and bacon firm and unchanged. Butter quiet. Sugar steady. Eggs and cheese firm.

MILWAUKEE—Flour unchanged. Wheat easy: cash, 945c; May, 965c; July, 355c. Corn firm: No. 3, 295c; 30c. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 275c; 235c. Barley dull: No. 2, 575c. Rye steady; No. 1, 445c. Provisions steady. Pork, \$11 00. Lard, \$6 72½. Cheese firm but quiet; cheddars, 10½c. PHILADELPHIA-Flour dull, but prices firm-Wheat dull and lower. Corn dull and barely steady. Oats—Car lots very quiet, with no change in prices. Butter dull and irregular;

Pennsylvania creamery extra, 28@30c; Pennsyl vania prints, extra, 30@31c. BALTIMORE—Provisions quiet and steady. Butter steady: western packed, 16@20c; best roll, 13@18c; creamery, 22@28c. Eggs firmer at 133-@14c. Coffee steady: Ruo fair at 17%c. Toledo-Cloverseed very dull and lower; cash and March, \$4 75.

PITTSBURG IRON.

"The market is distressingly dull," was the way in which a broker described it yesterday. But while there is very little demand, manufacturers are in good spirits and refuse to make material sacrifices to effect sales, as they exmaterial sacrinces to effect sales, as they expect a change for the better in a few weeks.

Pig Inon — Neutral Gray force, \$14 50, cash; white and mottled, \$14 00@14 50, cash; all ore mill, \$15 75@16 00, cash; No. 1 foundry, \$17 25@17 50, cash; No. 2 foundry, \$16 50@16 75, cash: No. 2 charcoal foundry, \$21 00@21 50, cash: cold blast charcoal, \$25 00@28 00, cash; Bessemer iron, \$16 75@17 00, cash.
FERRO-MANGAMESS—Eighty per cent, \$55 00 @56 00; speigel-eisen, \$28 00@28 50 for 20 per cent

MANUFACTURED IRON—Bars, \$1 75@1 80, 60 days, 2 per ceut off: skelp, grooved, \$1 80@1 85; sheared, \$1 35@2 00.

MUCK BAB—\$26 75@27 00 are the extremes.
BILLETS—Bessemer steel, \$28 50 cash: nail slabs, \$27 75@28 00; demestic bloom and rail days, \$27 75@28 00; demestic bloom and rail emds, \$19 00@19 50.

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NAILS—Uarlots 12d to 40d, \$1 90, 60 days; 2 per cent off for cash.

WROUGHT IRON PIPE—Discounts on steam, gas and water pipe; black, ½ to 1½-inch, 55 per cent, 1½ to 12 inches, 65; galvanized, ½ to 1½-inch, 47½ per cent; 1½ to 12 inches, 55 per cent; oil well casing, 60 per cent; 5½-inch casing, 37½ per net foot; 2-inch tubing, 12c; boiler tubes, 62½, and oil well casing, 60 per cent off large lots.

spring, 43/c; crucible machinery, 5c; open-hearth machinery, 23/c.

RAIL FASTENINGS—Snikes, 1.20c per pound, 30 days; splice bars, 1.80@1.85c per pound; square nut track boils, 2.85c, and hexagon nut. 2.90@ 235c f. o. b. Pittsburg. 205c, f. c. b. Pittsburg.
OLD RAILS—American tees, \$24 00@24 50; steel do, \$18 50 for short, \$19 50 for long.
STEEL RAILS—Heavy sections, \$28@29 cash,

at works.

SCBAP IRON—No.1 wrought, \$21@21 25 per net ton; cast scrap, \$15.50@16; wrought turnings, \$13 @14, net; cast borings, \$12@13, gross: car axies, \$25.00@22 50, net; old car wheels, \$19.00@19 50, gross; rail ends, \$19.50@20 00; bloom do, \$19.50, axis, axis,

A Real Gusher.

What is considered one of the biggest gas wells in Western Pennsylvania has been struck wells in Western Pennsylvania has been struck near Apollo, by the Pine Run Natural Gas Company. It is gauged at 750, and is estimated to have a rock pressure of over 800 pounds. Only two other wells have reached so high a pressure—the McGuigan, in the Washington field, and one at Grapeville. The new well also opens up a sand never before tapped in that visinity.

Metal Market. New York—Copper nominal; lake, February, \$16 75. Lead quiet and stronger; domestic, \$3 70. Tin firm; Straits, \$21 35.

Whisky Markets. Finished goods continue to be quoted at

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castori

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A LOCAL

Decidedly Worse Than None, So Far as Business is Concerned.

FORGETFUL MEN PUT IN A HOLE. The Bears Brace Up and Make a Grand Raid

on the Petroleum Market. STOCKS CLOSE VERY DULL AND WEAK

To-day being a legal holiday in Pennsylvania, there will be no business at the banks and exchanges. On this subject a prominent banker said yesterday:

"I have no objection to legal holidays. They afford opportunities for needed rest and social communion, which are at other times inconvenient or impossible. But to be effective they should be general-national instead of State-so that all the people of the country could enjoy their benefits. Christmas, New Year's, Fourth of July and Thanksgiving come under this head. They are general and not local. I would not abolish them if I could. I would rather enlarge than decrease the number of them. But it is different with Washington's Birthday and Good Friday. They are local, To-morrow will be a legal holiday in Pennsylvania, but not in Ohio, New York, West Virginia or Maryland, States that surround us, and with which we have large business trans-

"Does this work to the disadvantage of busi-Injustice of the Law.

"Decidedly so. The Pennsylvania law strikes mainly at the banks and other financial institutions. Other business concerns go on as usual unless they voluntarily close. The drygoods merchant, the grocer, the butcher, the baker and others are under no obligation to close up, and they seldom do so. Frequently their sales are larger on such a holiday as to-morrow promises to be than on any other day of the year, from the fact that the promised attracions draw large crowds from the country, who take advantage of the opportu-nity to make needful purchases. And right here is where the inconvenience is felt. Many of these dealers at the close of business find themselves in possession of large sums of money that they ion't know what to do with. The banks being closed they can't deposit it, and to keep it about them or leave it at home would be a strong temptation to robbers. I know of an instance that illustrates this point very clearly. Last year, on the 22d, a railroad man found himself in possession of nearly \$5,000. His safe was a small affair. It could have been opened by an expert burglar in a few minutes. He knew the banks were closed. The only way out of the difficulty was to trust to his own unsafe safe and stay up all night to guard it, reinforced by an extra watchman, armed to the

teeth. It was no holi day to him." "Are there other objections to the day from a business point of view?" "There are. Two years ago a man in Butler ounty bought a farm, payment for which was to be made on the 22d of February, forgetting that it was a legal holiday. The purchaser had considerable money on deposit in our bank. He and the seller came to the city on the afternoon of the day the payment was to be made. Our porter admitted him to the bank, and the case was stated to me. I said: 'Gentlemen, I am sorry I can do nothing for you. The money you want is here but I can't get at it. The law compels us to close up to-day. The time-lock is set for 8 o'clock to-morrow, and the safe can't be opened before that time." They were compelled to remain in the city until next day

An Inter-State Hitch. "Being local, the law may have a bad effect between citizens of different States-Ohio and

at some expense and considerable loss of time.

Pennsylvania for instance?" "Such is frequently the case. For instance one Ohio merchant buys a bill of goods in New York and for convenience to all parties makes the note payable in Pittsburg February 22, not knowing that the date named is a legal holiday in this State. He comes here at the time indicated to find that his note was protested the

day before. "I could recount other instances of the bad effects of a local holiday law," he went on to say, "but the above mentioned cases are suffisay, "but the above mentioned cases are sufficient to show the grounds of my opposition to it from a busines point of view. Such laws, to carry out their full intent and work hardship to none, should be general."

These expressions of a level-headed financier add force to the saying that there are always two ways of looking at things.

AN OFF DAY.

Stock Brokers Afraid to Lond Up on

Holiday Eve. The near approach of a holiday had a depress ing effect upon the stock market yesterday, most of the list being fractionally lower and extremely dull. Central Traction led in activity, contributing 205 of the 342 shares traded in. The weakness was due more to the indisposition of the brokers to take hold than to any radical change in the general outlook.

MORNING. AFTERNOON

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m. Nat. Bank		98	****	****
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urth Nat. Bank	****	****	123	125
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on & Glass Dol. Sav.	130	****	****	****
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r. & Man. Nat + nk.	60%	61	60,14	
tts. Bank for Savings	210	2000	****	****
ird National Bank.	161	****	****	****
legheny Gas Co., Ill	****	****	36	****
ttsburg Gas Co., Ill.	****	****	60%	
nn'a, Gas Co	14	16		
Hadelphia Co	2736		3734	3734
heeling Gas Co	29	20%	29	29%
tizens' Traction	75	76	****	75
ttsburg Traction	48%		49	****
ntral Traction	25%	*****	2534	2534
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& W. R. R. Co & W. R. R. Co., pref.	****	****	16%	
orthside Bridge Co			51%	
Norta M. Co		12%	****	
est'house Elec	4138	4234	40%	40%
ion Switch & Signat.	19%	20%	7117	20
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NAILS—Carlots 12d to 40d, \$1 90, 60 days; 2 per cent off for cash.

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MENCHANT STEEL—Tool, 83¢c; crucible spring, 43¢c; crucible machinery, 5c; open-beath muchinery, 23%c.

BANKERS HOPEFUL. They Think the Signs Point to a Better

Borrowing Demand. The money market yesterday was without material change. Idle funds were too plentiful to suit bankers, but they consoled themselves in a measure by saying the indications promised an increased borrowing demand in a short time. They thought the business outlook fully justified this belief. There was a drop in the justified this belief. There was a drop in the Clearing House report from the previous days of the week, but the figures were quite respect-able, the exchanges being \$1,333,02386 and the balances \$344,739 84. Money on call at New York yesterday was easy

Money on call at New York yesterday was easy at 1½ to 2 per cent, closed offered at 2. Prime mercantile paper at 4@6. Sterling exchange dull but firm at \$4 86% for 60-day bills, and \$4.88% for demand. Government Bonds.

Closing quotations in New York furnished THE DISPATCH by Robinson Bros., Wood street. Local dealers charge a commission of an eighth on small lots: U. S. 416s, reg U. S. 416s, coups..... U. S. 4s, reg U. S. 4s, 1907, coups.... .109 @1093 .1281/@129 ..1281/@129 Bid.

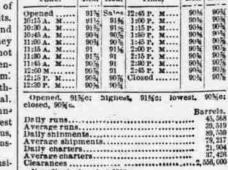
Currency, 6 per cent. 1895 reg... Currency, 6 per cent, 1896 reg... Currency, 6 per cent, 1897 reg... Currency, 6 per cent, 1898 reg... Currency, 6 per cent, 1898 reg... Sales of \$10,000 reg. 4s at 128%. NEW YORK-Clearings, \$115,123,527; balances \$6,259,294. Boston — Clearings, \$14,609,635; balances. \$1,581,708. Money 11/202 per cent. PHILADELPHIA-Clearings, \$11,818,488; bal-

BALTIMORE-Clearings, \$1,660,393; balance CHICAGO-Money unchanged. Bank clearings, \$9,582,000. ST. LOUIS-Clearings, \$3,021,820; balances, \$609,376.

PRICES GIVE WAY. The Bears Make a Successful Raid on the

Petroleum Market. The oil market yesterday was quite bearish but the buils fought every inch of ground, and retreated only after all their defenses were captured. There was heavy selling during the day, causing much wonderment that prices held up so well under such heavy pressure. heid up so well under such heavy pressure. The highest quotation was 91%c, and the lowest 90%c. When the market touched the latter point heavy buying in New York caused a slight reaction, which held good for the remainder of the day, the close being 90%c-a gain of 4c from the opening. The bulk of the business was done in the first and last hours. The weakness was attributed to lack of outside support, and not to any change in the general situation, which, from all accounts, continues bullish.

A. B. McGrew quotes: Puts, 80%c; calls, 81%c. The following table, corrected by De Witt Dilworth, broker in netroleum, etc., corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, Plutsburg, shows the order of fluctuations, etc.: Time, Bid, Ask, Time, Bid, Ask.



New York closed at 90%c. Oil City closed at 90%c. Bradford closed at 90%c. New York, refined, 7,10c. London, refined, 6%d. Antwerp, refined, 17%f.

Other Oll Markets. TITUSVILLE, February 21.—Opened, 91%c. highest, 91%c: lowest, 90%c: closed, 90%c. BRADFORD, February 21.—Opened, 91%c; highest, 81%c; lowest, 90%c; closed, 90%c. OII. CITY, February 21.—Opened, 9134c; high est, 9134c; lowest, 9034c; closed, 9034c. NEW YORK, February 21.—Petroleum opened steady at 913cc, and after a slight advance in the early trading the market became weak and declined to 903cc. A slight rally followed and the market closed steady at 903cc. Sales, 1,577,-

Opposition to the Lease Bill. Petroleum Exchanges throughout the State are taking action to head off the oil and gas lease bill now before the Legislature. For this purpose Pittsburg producers and operators will hold a meeting at the Petroleum Exchange to-morrow (Saturday) at noon. All who are interested in the matter are requested to attend and put themselves on record against the pend-

STILL DROPPING.

Wall Street Still Dominated by the Bear Influence-All the Active Stocks Close Lower-Railroad Bonds Are

Wenker and Dall. NEW YORK, February 21 .- The stock market was somewhat more active to-day, but the im-provement in the amount of business done was had at the expense of values, the bears again having the making of prices, and the market was weak and declining throughout most of the day. The fact that there will only be two hours of business between this evening and Monday morning deterred many from making purchases. The trading was, therefore, left almost entirely to the trading element, though the local and Chicago bears were quite active in getting the list down. The pressure was of course quite heavy against the Grangers and the Southwesterns, the belief in some quarters that Mr. Gould has no confidence in the situation leading to the selling of Missouri Pacific and Atchison, while the Coal stocks again came in for marked attention. Missouri Pacific made the widest fluctuations and showed most weakness, and at its lowest was 1½ per cent off. Among the other shares, however, the fluctuations were small and unimportant, though the having the making of prices, and the market ons were small and unimportant, though the

weakness extended to all parts of the list.

First prices were from ½ to ½ per cent lower than last evening's figures, and after further losses, in which Missouri Pacific and Lackathan last evening's figures, and after further losses, in which Missouri Pacific and Lackawanna were most conspicuous, there was a reaction which brought most stocks to about the level of opening figures. The downward movement was soon resumed, however, and toward noon there was more animation and the weak tone became more pronounced with the pressure heaviest against the Grangers and Coal stocks, while the Gould shares were for a time well held. Burlington, Rock Island, St. Paul. Jersey Central and New England became prominent for the losses sustained, and the lowest prices were generally reached toward 2 P. M., after which there was a pronounced rally which reached almost everything, and under the lead of Burlington a fair proportion of the losses was regained. The close was quiet but firm. The entire active list is lower to-night, but the only marked losses were Missouri Pacific 1½, and Denver, Texas and Fort Worth certificates 1½.

The weakness in shares extended also to the dealings in railroad bonds, while the business done was much smaller in proportion. The sales of all issues reached \$1.659,000, out of which Chicago Gas and Coke firsts furnished \$294,000 and Erie seconds \$104,000. The tone of the dealings was heavy from start to firish, and most of the issues traded in are lower to-night. The important losses include: New York and Northern seconds, 2 at 50.

The following table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth syenue:

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Atch., Top. & S. F... 525 516 516 523

Am Cotton OH 50%	est	est.	54%
Am. Cotton Oil 50% Atch., Top. & S. F 52%	5336	8234	52.7
Canadian Pacific	\$534	2217	82.4
Canada Southern 58% Central of New Jersey. 96%	96%	55% 95%	54% 95%
Central Pacific. 35% Chesapeake & Ohio 16 C., Bur. & Quincy. 101 C., Mil. & St. Paul. 63%	16	3534	2514
C., Bur. & Quincy101	101%	100%	15%
C., Mil. & St. Paul 63%	100	62%	6036
C. Rock 1. & P 9614	9634	9516	9614
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C., St. L. & Plits. pf. C., St. P., M. & O 32 C., St. P., M. & O., pf. 91% C. & Northwestern 1064	272	20	3914 32
C., St. P., M. & O., pf. 91%	9134	9134	92
C. & Northwestern, pf	10614	1063€	10634
C. C. C. & I 72%	7296	7234	7214
Col., Coal & Iron Val.	2634	2634	34% 26%
Del., L. & W	341%	14076	341%
E. T. Va. & Ga	136%	13654	13634
Col. & Hocking Val. 284 Del. L. & W. 4415 Del. & Hudson 1864 E. T. Va. & Ga. 1st pf 69% E. T. Va. & Ga. 2d pf.	6976	69%	410
	10876	10854	108%
Lake Erie & Western 18% Lake Erie & West. pf 57% Lake Shore & M. S 1044 Louisville & Nashville. 60%	1816	18%	18%
Lake Shore & M. S 10414	58% 104%	1007	5776
Louisville & Nashville, 60%	60%	5636	10%
Mobile & Ohio 1314	1356	12%	18%
Missouri Pacific 72	2976	70%	71
N. Y., L. E. & W. pref 69	69	2034	291/4 6774
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N. Y., C. & St. L. 2d pf	1225	****	4136
N. Y. O. & W 175	1734	1736	47% 17%
Norfolk & Western	****	2174	16%
Norfolk & Western, pf 52%	25% 25%	50%	52 26%
Northern Pacific pref. 61%	613	61%	61%
Ohio & Mississippl Oregon Improvement		****	28%
Oregon Improvement. Oregon Transcon 32% Pacific Mall	32%	8214	32%
Peo. Dec. & Evans 26	2814	26	26%
Philadel & Reading 48%	4814	4734	47 %
Pullman Palace Car1995 Richmond & W. P. T. 285	19934 265a	19934	26%
Pullman Palace Car 1995 Richmond & W. P. T. 285 Richmond & W. P. T. pf 80	80	79%	7914
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St. P., Minn, & Man 7 St. L. & San Fran	****	****	103
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St. L. & San Fran pf St. L. & San F.1st pf Texas Pacific 214	5225	4	10035
Union Pacific 64%	111/6 64%	63%	62.6
Wabash preferred 27%	Ares	2.25	1334
Western Union 20%	2716 85%	2676 85%	2736 85%
Wheeling & L. E 6616	6636	65%	6814
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BOSTON STOCKS.

The Market Opened Weak and Failed to Recover.

Boston, February 21.—The downward course of the stock market was again manifest to-day in a weak opening and a subsequent failure to recover. Western roads led to the decline, with the balance of the market very dull, and

with the balance of the market very dull, and bonds unusually so.
Arch. & Toc., let 7s. 119
A. & T. Land Gr'17s. 112
Wis. Central, com. 18-9
Wis. Central pf. 28
Callines & Hecks. 270
Catalos. 270
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ARMURE and surahs, silks, checks and

stripes, novelty combination, spring designs, at \$1 pr. yd. HUGUS & HACKE.

Choice Country Butter and Cheese Are Tending Upward.

STRICTLY FRESH EGGS IN DEMAND.

Supply of Grain and Hay Still Above the Wants of Trade.

PACKAGE COFFEE MUST GO HIGHER

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURG DISPATCH, THURSDAY, February 21, 1889. Country Produce-Jobbing Prices. A good article of country butter is in better smand than for some months past. The active movement in cheese which usually pre-cedes Lent has made its start, say jobbers. An advance is among the strong probabilities be-fore many days. The demand for strictly fresh eggs is fully up to supply at quotations. Said a Liberty street commission merchant to-day: "A year ago, when all kinds of country produce was scarce and high, there was good money in our business. Now that there is an abundance of everything, and stuff is dirt cheap, we are compelled to work for glory. There is not enough in our line to pay the landlord, tax col-lector and preacher, and it is my belief that very few commission merchants of this city will come out even on this winter's trade." BUTTER- Creamery, Elgin, 33@34c; Ohio do,

26@28c; fresh dairy packed, 20@23c; country rolls, 18@23c; Chartiers Creamery Co. butter, BEANS-Choice medium, \$2 00@2 10: choice peas, \$2 05@2 15. BEESWAX-23@25c # h for choice; low grade, 16@18c.
CIDER—Sand retined, 86 50@7 50; common, 83 50@4 60; crab cider, 88 00@8 50 % barrel; cider vinegar, 10@12c % gallon.
CHEESE—Ohio cheese, fall make, 12@12½c; New York, fall make, 12½@13c; Limburger, 11½@12½c; domestic Sweitzer cheese, 13@13½c.
DRIED PEAS—\$1 45@1 50 % bushel; split do, 234@3½c % 3.

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EGGS—15@16c w dozen for strictly fresh.
FRUITS—Apples, \$1 00@81 50 w barrel; evaporated raspberries, 25c b h: cranberries, \$8 00 w barrel; \$2 40@82 50 per bushel.
FEATHERS—Extra live geese, 50@60c; No. 1 do. 40@45c; mixed lots, 30@55c w h.
HOMINY—\$2 65@2 75 w barrel.
HONEY—New Crop. 16@17c; buckwheat, 13@15c.

POTATOES—Potatoes, 35@40c # bushel; \$2 50 @2 75 for Southern sweets; \$3 25@8 50 for Jer-Sey sweets.
POULTRY—Live chickens, 65@75c P pair; dressed chickens, 13@15c P pound; turkeys, 13 @15c uressed P pound; ducks, live, 80@85c P pair; dressed, 13@14c P pound; geese, 10@11c

pair; dressed, 13@14c F pound; geese, 10@11c per pound.

SEEDS—Clover, choice, 62 hs to bushel, 86 P bushel; clover, large English, 62 hs, \$5 25; clover, Alsike, 85 85; clover, white, 89 00; timo-thy, choice, 45 hs, \$1 85; blue grass, extra clean, 14 hs, \$1 00; blue grass, fancy, 14 hs, \$1 20; orchard grass, 14 hs, \$2 00; red top, 14 hs, \$1 00; millet, 50 hs, \$1 2; German millet, 50 hs, \$2 00; millet, 50 hs, \$2 00; lawn grass, mixture of fine grasses, 25c per h.

TALLOW—Country, 414@5c; city rendered, 5@54c.

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TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, fancy, \$3 00 @4 00 \(\pi \) box; common lemons, \$2 75 \(\pi \) box; Messina oranges, \$2 50@3 50 \(\pi \) box; Florida oranges, \$3 00@5 50 \(\pi \) box; Jamaica oranges, fancy, \$5 00@5 50 \(\pi \) case; Malara grapes, \$5 50@7 00 \(\pi \) keg; bananas, \$2 50 firsts; \$1 50@2 00, good seconds, \(\pi \) bunch: cocoanuts, \$4 00@4 50 \(\pi \) hundred; new figs, 12@14c \(\pi \) pound; dates, 5\(\pi \) @94 doz, bunches; cabbages, \$3 00@4 00 \(\pi \) 100; onious, 50c \(\pi \) bushel; Spanish onions, 75@30c \(\pi \) crate; turnips, 30@40c per bushel.

Groceries. Package coffee cannot remain many days longer at present prices, according to the views of jobbers. It has been for some time relatively too low when the price of the green article is considered. Teas are also firm, with a

tendency to higher prices.

GREEN COFFEE - Fancy Rio, 201/20211/c; choice Rio, 19@20c; prime Rio, 19c; fair Rio. 1734@1834c: old Government Java, 2634c; Maracaibo, 2134@2234c; Mocha, 30@31c; Santos, 1834 @22c; Caracas coffee, 19%@21c; peaberry, Rio, 20@2156c; Laguayra, 2056@2156c. ROASTED (in papers)—Standard brands,22½c; high grades, 24½@26½c; old Government Java,

bulk, 31@32; Maracaibo, 25@27c; Santos, 2134@ 234c; peaberry, 253c; choice Rio, 24c; prime Rio, 2134c; good Rio, 21c; ordinary, 29c SPICES (whole)—Cloves, 21@25c; allspice, 9c; cassia, 829c; pepper, 19c; nutmeg, 70280c. PETROLEUM (jobbers' prices)—110 test, 74c; Ohio, 120, 83c; headilght, 150°, 9c; water white, 104c; globe, 12c; elaine, 15c; carnadine, 114c;

Ohio, 129°, 83°c; headlight, 150°, 9c; water white. 10½c; globe, 12c; elaine, 15c; carnadine, 11¾c; royaline, 14c.
SYRUPS—Corn syrups, 23@25c; choice sugar syrup, 35@36c; prime sugar syrup, 30@38c; strictly prime, 33@35c.

N. O. Molasses—Fancy, 50c; choice, 48; medium, 45; mixed, 40@42c.
SODA—Bi-carb in kegs, 3½@4c; bi-carb in ½s, 5½c; bi-carb, assorted packages, 5½@6c; salsoda in kegs, 1¾c; do granulated, 2c.
CANDLES—Star, full weight, 10c; stearine, per set, 8½c; paradine, 11½d12c.
RICE—Head, Carolina, 7@7½c; choice, 6½@7c; prime, 5½@6½c; Louisiana, 6@6½c.
SRARCH—Fearl, 2½c; cornstarch, 5½@7c; gloss starch, 5½@7c.
FOREIGN FRUITS—Layer raisins, \$2 65; London layers, \$3 10; California Loudon layers, \$2 55; Muscatels, \$2 25; California Muscatels, \$2 35; Valencia, new, 6½@7c; Ondara Valencia, 7½@7½c; sultana, 7½c; currants, new, 4½@5c; Turkey prunes, new, 4½@4½c; French prunes, 8½@13c; Salonica prunes, in 2-B packages, 83½c; cocoanuts, per 100.86 90; almonds, Lan., per B; 29c; do Ivica, 19c; do shelled, 40c; walnuts, nap., 12½@15c; Sicily filberts, 12c; Smyrna figs, 12½@16c; new dates, 5½@6c; Brazil nuts, 10c; pecans, 11@15c; citron, per B, 21@22c; lemon peel, per B, 13@14c; orange peel, 12½c.
Drifen Fruits—Apples, sliced, per B, 8 c.; apples, cvaporated, 6½@7½c; apricots, California, evaporated, pared, 22@23c; neaches, California, evaporated, unpared, 12½@13½c; cherries, unpitted, 5@6c; rasplerries, evaporated, 21@24½c; blackberries, 7½@8c; huckleberries, 10@12c.

unpared, 12%@13%c; cherries, pitted, 21@22c; cherries, unpitted, 5@6c; raspberries, evaporated, 24@24%c; blackberries, 7½@8c: huckleberries, 10@12c.

SUGARS—Cubes, 7%c; powdered, 7%c; granulated, 7c; confectioners' A. 6%c; standard A. 6%c; soft whites, 6%@6%c; yellow, choice, 6%@6%c; yellow, fair, 6%c; yellow, good, 6%@6%c; yellow, fair, 6%c; yellow, dark, 5%c.

PICKLES—Medium, bbls (1,200), \$4.76; mediums, half bbls (600), \$2.85.

SALT—No, 1 % bbl, \$5c; No. 1 ex, % bbl, \$1.05; dairy, % bbl, \$1.20; Higgin's Eureka, 4 bu sack, \$2.80; Higgin's Eureka, 16-14 % pockets, \$3.00.

CANNED GOODS—Standard peaches, \$1.35@1 to; ple peaches, 90c; finest corn, \$1.30@15; Hid. Co. corn, 70@00c; red cherries, 90c@1 00; lima beans, \$1.10; soaked do, 85c; string do do, 76@85c; marrowfat peas, \$1.001 bc; soaked peas, 70@75c; pineapples, \$1.40@1 50; Bahama do, \$2.70; damson plums, \$5c; green gages, \$1.25; egg plums, \$2.00; california pears, \$2.50; do green gages, \$2.00; do cgg plums, \$2.00; extra white cherries, \$2.90; red cherries, 22.90; corresporters, \$1.50(1 40); strawherries, \$1.10; gooseberries, \$1.25(1) to stackberries, \$0.00; extra white cherries, \$1.20(1 30); tomatoes, \$2.20; do green gages, \$1.25; do green gages, \$2.00; do cgg plums, \$2.00; extra white cherries, \$1.20(1 30); tomatoes, \$2.20; do green gages, \$1.25; do green gages, \$1.25; at salvaeries, \$1.00; soaked beans, \$1.400; strawherries, \$1.10; gooseberries, \$1.20(1 30); tomatoes, \$2.20; do green gages, \$1.25; at salvaeries, \$1.20(1 30); tomatoes, \$2.30; for samon, 1.2, \$1.75@2 10; blackberries, \$00c; succotash, \$2.50 cars, soaked, 90c; do green, 225, \$1.25; do green gages, \$2.00; do cgg plums, \$2.00; extra white cherries, \$2.50; at sardines, monstard, \$4.00; sardines, imported, \$4.8, \$1.50@1 10; baked beans, \$1.400; sardines, imported, \$4.8, \$1.50@1 10; corn beef, \$2.8 tomatoes, spaced, \$4.25.

Fish — Extra No. 1 bloater mackerel, \$24. Codifish—Whole pollock, \$4.60; %; \$6.00; sardines, in strips, \$6c; do George's cod in blocks, \$6.400; %c. Herring—Round shore, \$5.5

Fig. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR-25/62%c per pound. OATMEAL-\$6 30@6 60 Pibbl. MINERS' OIL-No. 1 winter strained, 59@62c Figallon. Lard oil, 75c.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

Total receipts as bulletined at the Grain Exchange, 42 cars. By Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago, 5 cars of oats, 7 of hay, 4 of barley, 4 of flour, I of middlings, I of ear corn. By Pitts-burg, Cincinnati and St. Louis, 2 cars of wheat, 4 of oats, 5 of corn, 2 of barley, 1 of floor. By Baltimore and Ohio, 2 cars of hay. By Pittsburg and Lake Erie, 3 cars of flour, 1 of hay. Sales on call: One car sample oats, 32%c, track: 1 car No. 2 timothy hay, \$11, track: 1 car No. 1 upland hay, \$10, track. Receipts for the week thus far have been 170 cars. If the remaining two days keep up the record, this week's re-ceipts will go beyond anything for months past, Supply in all lines continues above demand, and dealers find the situation anything but and dealers find the situation anything but satisfactory. Corn and oats are weak as water. Some operators report a slight stiffening of prices for hay. Wheat and flour lose nothing of their firmness.

WHEAT—Jobbing prices—No. 2 red, \$1 080 1 08; No. 3 red, \$80551 04.

CORN—No. 2 vellow, ear, 33630c; high mixed car, 361/2037c; No. 1 yellow, shelled, 390/40c No. 2 yellow, shelled, 37/4038c; high mixed, shelled, 280/37c; mixed, shelled, 350/36c; no. 3, 31 (331/4c; No. 3 white, 30/301/4c; cextra No. 3, 31 (331/4c; No. 3 white, 30/301/4c; No. 2 mixed, 290/30c.

20c. RYE—No. 1 Western, 60@61c; No. 2, 55@65c. BARLEY—No. 1 Canada, 50@95c; No. 2 Canada, 85@85c; No. 3 Canada, 78@80c; No. 2 Western,

75@78c; No. 3 Western, 65@70c Lake Shore, 75 1880c.
FLOUR—Jobbing prices, winter patents \$6 50, 68 75; spring patents, \$6 75@7 00; fancy straight, winter and spring, \$5 50@5 70; clear winter \$5 00@5 25, straight XXXX bakers', \$5 00@5 25. Rye flour, \$3 75.
MILLEED—Middings, fine white, \$18 00@ 20 00 \$7 ton: brown middlings, \$14 50@15 00; winter wheat bran, \$14 75@15 25; chop feed, \$15 00@18 00.
HAY—Baled timothy, choice, \$15 00@15 25; No. 1 do. \$14 25@14 50; No. 2 do. \$12 00@13 00; loose from wagon, \$18 00@20 00: No. 1 upland prairie, \$9 75@10 00; No. 2, \$8 00@8 50; packing do. \$6 50@7 00.
STRAW—Oats, \$8 00@8 25; wheat and rye straw, \$7 00@7 25.

Provisions. At Chicago to-day prices of lard, mess pork and spare ribs were advanced a few points, but the advance is probably speculative and prices

straw, \$7 00@7 25.

the advance is probably speculative and prices here are unchanged.

Sugar-cured hams, large, 10%c; sugar-cured hams, medium, 10%c; sugar-cured hams, small, lic; sugar-cured breakfast bacon, 10c; sugar-cured shoulders, 5%c; sugar-cured california hams, 8%c; sugar-cured dried beef flats, 8c; sugar-cured dried beef sts, 9c; sugar-cured dried beef sts, 9c; sugar-cured dried beef sts, 9c; sugar-cured dried beef founds, lic; bacon shoulders, 7%c; bacon clear sides, 8%c; bacon clear bellies, 8%c; dry salt shoulders, 6%c; dry salt clear sides, 7%c. Mess pork, heavy, 314 00; mess pork, family, 514 50; Lard-Refined in tierces, 7c; half barrels, 7%c; 50-B tin cans, 7%c; 3-B tin pails, 7%c; 50-B tin pails, 7%c; 50-B tin pails, 7%c; 10-B tin pails, 7%c; Smoked sausage, long, oc; large, 5c. Fresh pork links, 9c. Plys feet, half barrels, \$3 75; quarter barrels, \$1 75.

Dressed Ment. Armour & Co. furnish the following prices on dressed meats: Beef carcasses, 450 to 550 hs, 5@554c; 600 to 650 hs, 6@654c; 700 to 750 hs, 654@7c. Sheep, 7c % h. Lambs, 854c % h.

OPEN TO-DAY. The Hollday Will Not Affect the Real

Estate Offices. Nearly all of the real estate offices will be kept open to-day. This will enable the housebuying and the house-renting public to enjoy the holiday sights and transact business at the same time. There was a rumor yesterday afternoon that a big firm in one of the two cities had changed hands, but it could not be verified for lack of definite information. W. A. Herron & Sons sold a house and one acre of land near Edgewood and Wilkinsburg

acre of land near Edgewood and Wilkinsburg station, Pennsylvania Railroad, for \$10,000 cash. They also sold a lot at Swissvale station, 40x120 feet, near the station, for \$250: They report demand very good for money on mortgages. They are placing large amounts at rates from 4½ per cent to 6 per cent interest.

Black & Baird, No. 95 Fourth avenue, sold to Robert C. Earefoot lot No. 25 in the plan of Washington place, being 21 feet front on Washington avenue, Mt. Washington, for \$117. The lots in this plan are being offered at \$5 to \$10 down, the balance \$1 to \$2 a week, without interest or taxes. They also sold for M. F. Herron to Mrs. Elenore Thompson lot No. 2 in the Herron plan at West Bellevue, 25x145 feet, for \$300, and placed a mortgage of \$4,500 on property on North avenue, Allegheny City, at 4½ per cent, free of State tax.

Alles & Bailey, 164 Fourth avenue, sold for Herman Moses brick dwelling, lot 20x90 feet, on Congress street, to George Schmidt, for \$2,500.

Samuel W. Black & Co., 99 Fourth avenue, sold a handsome modern dwelling of ten rooms, on a lot 24x121, on Allegheny avenue, Allegheny, to a prominent railroad man for a price approximating \$18,000.

C. H. Love, 98 Fourth avenue, sold a small house and lot, on Central avenue, Tenth ward, Allegheny City, for C. L. Reno. William Wightman was the purchaser. The price was S575.
Thomas Liggett, 114 Fourth avenue, sold in the Herst-Feilbach plan, at Bennett station, for Mrs. Feilbach, lot 28 for \$550, and for Mrs. Longe lot No. 25 for \$550.
Mellon Bros. sold to William H. Steffler lot No. 14, McClintock plan, for \$490. Mr. Steffler will build a residence on this property.

have recently booked some heavy orders for fencing wire of various descriptions.

NEW YORK, February 21.—Amador, 150; Caledonia, 275; Eureka, 200; El Cristo, 140; Hale & Norcross, 400; Homestake, 1200; Mexican, 330; Mutual, 145; Navajo, 145; Ontario, 3300; Plymouth, 975; Savage, 310; Standard, 125; Small Hopes, 110, Union Consolidated, 310; Yellow Jacket, 380.

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m., 252, 7:45 p. m.; Wheeling and Bellaire, 9:00
a. m., 2:23, 7:46 p. m.; Erie and Ashtabuls, 1:25,
10:15 p. m.; Massillon, 10:00 a. m.; Niles and
Jamestown, 9:10 a. m.; Beaver Falls, 7:30 a. m.;
1:10 p. m., S 5:25 p. m.; Leetsdale, 10:40 p. m.
ARRIVE ALLEGHENY-From Enon, 8:00 a.
m.; Conway, 6:50; Rochester, 9:40 a. m.; Beaver
Falls, 7:10 a. m., 6:40 p. m.; Leetsdale, 5:50, 6:15,
7:45 a. m., 12:90, 1:43, 4:30, 6:20, 9:00 p. m.; Fair
Oaks, S 5:55 a. m.; Leetsdale, S 6:03 p. m.; Beaver
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Schedule in effect November 29, 1888, For Washington, D. C., Baltimore and Philadelphia, 'li:30 a. m. and '10:20 p.m. For Washington, D. C., and Baltimore, '7:50 a. m. For Cumi_crland, '7:50, and Baltimore, '7:50 a. m. For Cumi_crland, '7:50, and Baltimore, '7:50 a. m. For Cuni_crland, '7:50 and '11:30 a. m., ti:00, th:50 and '30:30 p. m. For Uniontown, '7:50, ti:30 a.m., ti:00 and '4:00 p. p. For Mt. Pleasant, '7:50 and '11:30 a. m., ti:00 and '4:00 p. m. For Washington, Pa. '7:30, 19:30 a. m., '2:35, 5:30 and '8:30 p. m. For Wheeling, '7:20, th:30 a. m., '2:33, '8:30 p. m. For Wheeling, '7:20, th:30 a. m., '3:35 and '8:30 p. m. For Chicago, '7:30, th:30 a. m., '3:35 and '8:30 p. m. For Chicago, '7:30, th:30 a. m., '3:35 and '8:30 p. m. Trains arrive from Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, '7:10 a. m. and '8:30 p. m. From Columbus, Cincinnal and Chicago, '7:45 a. m. and '9:10 p. m. From Wheeling, '7:45, '10:50 a. m., '5:50, '9:10 p. m. Through sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington and Cincinnal.

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P. & L. E. R. R. — DEPART—FOR Cleveland, 5:25, 7:40 A. M., 1:20, 4:15, 9:30 P. M. For Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis, 5:25 A. M., 1:20, 9:30 P. M. For Buffalo, 10:20 A. M., 4:15 9:30 P. M. For Baimanca, 7:40 A. M., 1:20, 3:30 P. M. For Baimanca, 7:40 A. M., 1:20, 3:30 P. M. For Baimanca, 7:40 A. M., 1:20, 3:30 P. M. For Baimanca, 7:40 A. M., 1:20, 3:30 P. M. For Baimanca, 7:40 A. M., 1:20, 3:30 P. M. For Baimanca, 7:40 A. M., 1:20, 3:30 P. M. For Chartiers, 5:25, 5:25, 6:29, 7:30, 1:15, 5:20, 7:16, 8:30, 9:30, 6:45, 5:20, 7:30, 1:45, 1:20, 1:45, 3:30 4:45, 5:310, 5:20, 7:32, 10:30 P. M. Arrive—From Cleveland, 5:30 A. M., 1:30, 5:40, 7:30, 8:40 P. M. From Clincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis, 1:30, 8:00 F. M. From Baimanca, 1:60, 7:50 A. M., 1:50, 5:40, 7:30, 9:20 A. M., 1:50, 5:40, 8:30, 9:23, 4:30, 7:28, 7:30, 8:30, 9:23, 10:10 A. M., 1:200 noon, 13:30, 1:12, 1:25, 7:32, 4:30, 4:35, 5:30, 5:30, 5:40, 7:31 P. M. P. McK. & Y. R. R.—DEPART—For New Haven, 5:40 A. M., 3:50 F. M. For New Haven, 7:50 A. M., 8:40, 8:40, 4:30, 5:40, 8:41 P. M. For New Haven, 7:50 A. M., 8:40, 8:4 DITTSBURG AND LAKE ERIE RAILROAD

PANHANDLE ROUTE—NOV.12. 1858. UNION station, Central Standard Time. Leave for Cincinnati and St. Louis, d.7:30 s.m., d.8:00 and d. 11:15 p. m. Dennison, 2:45 p. m. Chicago, 12:05, d.11:15 p. m. Wheeling, 7:30 s. m., 12:05, 6:10 p. m. Steubenville, 3:30 s. m. Washington, 5:55, 8:25 s. m., 1:25, 3:30, 4:55 p. m. Bulger, 10:10 s. m. Bargettstown, S11:25 a. m., 5:25 p. m. Mansfeld, 7:15, 11:00 s. m., 6:30, d8:23; 10:40, p. m. McDonalds, d.4:15, d.10:00 p. m. From the West, d.1:00, d.6:00, s. m., 3:03, d.5:05 p. m. Burgettstown, 7:15 s. m., 8:2:53 s. m. Steubenville, 5:05 p. m. Wheeling, 1:00, 8:45 a. m., 3:05, 5:55 p. m. Burgettstown, 7:15 s. m., 8:9:15 a. m. Washington, 6:55, 7:30, 9:55 a. m. 2:35, 6:20 p. m. Mansfeld, 5:35, 9:00 s. m., 12:45 d.6:20 and 10:00 p. m. Bulger, 1:40 p. m. McDonalds, d.6:35 a. m., d. 200 p. m. d. daily: S. Sunday only: other trains, except Sunday.

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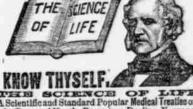
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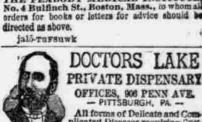
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